

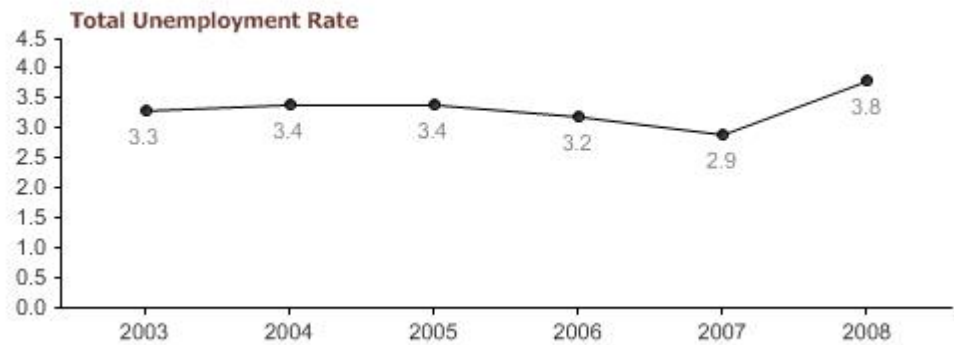
Hamilton County, IN Highlights

Labor Force

An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2008

	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000
Labor Force	141,942	39.3%
Employed	136,542	36.4%
Unemployed	5,400	196.4%
Rate	3.8	111.1%



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Labor Force Estimates

	Labor Force	Emp.	Unemp.	Area Rate	State Rate
1998	94,339	93,318	1,021	1.1	2.9
1999	99,575	98,448	1,127	1.1	2.9
2000	101,911	100,089	1,822	1.8	2.9
2001	107,682	105,091	2,591	2.4	4.2
2002	113,253	109,565	3,688	3.3	5.2
2003	120,547	116,567	3,980	3.3	5.3
2004	124,882	120,674	4,208	3.4	5.3
2005	130,557	126,058	4,499	3.4	5.4
2006	137,057	132,655	4,402	3.2	5.0
2007	141,334	137,201	4,133	2.9	4.6
2008	141,942	136,542	5,400	3.8	5.9

